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In Re Patent Application Of:  
Archie Woodworth et al.

For: POLYMERIC SYRINGE  
BODY AND STOPPER

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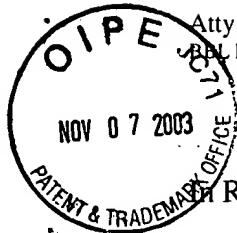
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